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# Cuban Broadcast Puts on 2 'Agents' Allegedly U. S. Trained for Sabotage

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(AP)—A man identified by the Fidel Castro Government as a captured agent of the United States Central Intelligence Agency told interviewers tonight he had been trained in Miami to commit sabotage in Cuba. The nation-wide Cuban broadcast from Havana was monitored here.

Pedro Lopez Perez, appearing composed before the television cameras and microphones, said he fled Cuba illegally in a small boat.

He reached U. S. soil at Key West, he said, and went from there to Miami, where he started attending meetings of anti-Castro Cubans.

"A captain colleague suggested a return to Cuba," the black-haired, mustached Lopez said. "I accepted."

## Appears With 2d Man

Lopez appeared before the Cuban broadcast audience with Pedro Isaias Iglesias Pons, also identified as a captured counterrevolutionary. Iglesias, however, had little to say and Lopez replied to most of the questions.

The Government radio reported earlier that they were captured in Pinar Del Rio Province with other counterrevolutionaries who carried weapons and explosives to promote sabotage in Cuba.

At one point, the television cameras turned on weapons, radios, packets of food concentrates and ammunition which reportedly were seized when the men were captured.

Lopez said he was given a brief course in military techniques after agreeing to return to Cuba. The training, he reported, included instruction in writing invisible messages and reading maps.

## Boat is Waiting

After the course, Lopez said, he was put in a station wagon and taken at night along a highway unknown to him to a beach where a small boat was waiting.

This boat, he said, took him and his companions to a larger vessel which had "military material" aboard. It took three days to reach Cuba, he reported.

Lopez said the Miami training staff included two Americans who were can supervisors. He quoted one of them as telling him that they belong to no organization.

This response came when a reporter asked him if the Americans were members of the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the CIA.

Both men were asked why they left Cuba.

Lopez replied he had feared his children would be taken from him.

Iglesias answered that he had felt it would be a good idea to leave after the unsuccessful April 17th invasion.

## Capture Was Announced

The pair was brought before the television cameras just one day after Prime Minister Castro announced that counterrevolutionaries sent by the United States had been captured in Cuba while on a sabotage mission.

The announcement that the two would be interviewed tonight was made during a 1 p. m. broadcast today. From then on, it was repeated every few minutes on every Cuban station until the time of the interview.

Nothing was said about the penalty the two might pay. At Castro's bidding, the Cuban Council of Ministers recently decreed death before a firing squad for all forms of counterrevolutionary activity.

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